

TABLE 4: PERCENTAGE OF FAMILIES BY HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD (PARENT/CARETAKER)¹ AND MONTHLY STATE MEDIAN INCOME

STATUS	INCOME AS PERCENTAGE OF MONTHLY STATE MEDIAN INCOME (SMI) ²												Row Totals	TOTAL % (Status)
	0% - <25% SMI		25% - <50% SMI		50% - <65% SMI		65% - <70% SMI		70% - <75% SMI		75% - 100% SMI			
	Row %	Col %	Row %	Col %	Row %	Col %	Row %	Col %	Row %	Col %	Row %	Col %		
Single	23.9	78.4	56.4	74.8	15.5	61.8	2.2	51.5	1.3	50.3	0.7	49.3	100.0%	71.8%
Not Single	16.8	21.6	48.4	25.2	24.4	38.2	5.3	48.5	3.3	49.7	1.8	50.7	100.0%	28.2%
Column Totals	100.0%		100.0%		100.0%		100.0%		100.0%		100.0%			
TOTAL % (Income)	21.9%		54.2%		18.0%		3.1%		1.8%		1.0%		100.0%	

Source: The California Department of Education (CDE) Survey on Statewide Participation in Subsidized Child Care; Time Period: Data from July 1999 – June 2000.

Note: Data are weighted by stratum and major program. Missing and unknown data are excluded from the analysis. Due to rounding error, 'Column' and 'Row' totals may not equal 100.0%.

¹ California Education Code Section 8208 (u) defines a "parent" as: "any person living with a child who has responsibility for the care and welfare of the child."

² The California Department of Finance provided the annual State Median Income (SMI) for FY 1998-1999 that was used by CDE to establish child care eligibility. Monthly SMI was calculated by dividing the annual SMI by 12.